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SUBJECT:CIVAIR: NOTICE OF DISSATISFACTION WITH KLM
BUDGET FARES

1. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO TRANSMIT TO APPROPRIATE DUTCH
AUTHORITIES SOONEST, AND IN ANY EVENT NLT DECEMBER 24,
A NOTICE OF DISSATISFACTION WITH KLM BUDGET FARES.

2. SUGGESTED TEXT: QUOTE ON DECEMBER 9, 1977, KLM
FILED TARIFF REVISIONS FOR EFFECTIVENESS JANUARY 8, 1978,
PROPOSING NEW BUDGET FARES FOR TRANSATLANTIC TRAVEL
BETWEEN NEW YORK AND AMSTERDAM AT 149.50 DOLLARS ONE-WAY,
AND 299 DOLLARS ROUND TRIP. NOTICE OF DISSATISFACTION
WITH THIS FILING IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH
ARTICLE 11 (E) OF THE US-NETHERLANDS AIR TRANSPORT
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SERVICES AGREEMENT OF APRIL 3, 1957. THIS NOTICE DOES
NOT NECESSARILY INDICATE THAT THE USG INTENDS TO SUSPEND
THE TARIFF IN QUESTION. UNQUOTE.

3. DEPARTMENT FULLY REALIZES AND REGRETS TIME PROBLEM
THIS CREATES FOR EMBASSY, AS WELL AS FACT THAT NOTICE
MUST BE DELIVERED CHRISTMAS EVE. HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT

HAS ONLY TODAY LEARNED THAT DUTCH INTEND TO ISSUE NOTICE

DISSATISFACTION ON RECENTLY FILED ,AN AM BUDGET FARES.
IF USG DOES NOT SERVE NOTICE OF DISSATISFACTION TO DUTCH,
POTENTIAL OUTCOME COULD BE SITUATION WHERE KLM COULD FLY
THE BUDGET FARE WHILE PAN AM COULD NOT. SUCH AN OUTCOME
NOT ACCEPTABLE. ACCORDINGLY, NOTICE OF DISSATISFACTION
FROM USG MUST BE GIVEN TO DUTCH GOVERNMENT AS DEFENSIVE
MEASURE, AND, IN VIEW OF PAST DUTCH COMMENTS RE TIMING
OF RECEIPT OF SUCH NOTICES, IT MUST BE GIVEN ON TIME. VANCE

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